A.—**Sri T. MARIAPPA** (Home Minister).—

(*a*) Yes.

	Rs. a. p.
(b) (i) Chloromycetin 125 of 0·25 gm. each (Parke Davis and Co.) ...	39 8 0 per vial.
(ii) 1. Auromycin Hydrochloride capsules 250 mg. per capsule, 8 capsules	35 0 0
2. Auromycin Hydrochloride intravenous 100 mg. 1 vial ...	13 2 0
3. Auromycin Hydrochloride ointment 30 mg. per gram ½ oz. tube ...	8 11 0
4. Auromycin Hydrochloride ointment (Ophthalmic) 1 mg. per gm. 6 1/8 oz. tube	13 12 0
5. Auromycin Spersoids brand of Auromycin Hydrochloride power 50 mg. per does, 25 doses ...	27 1 0

[*Lederle Labs. (India), Ltd.*]

(iii) Penicillin :—Rates differ between products of different manufacturers and also they depend upon the strength.

Thus the cost of :—

	Rs. a. p.
(1) Abbots Labs Penicillin of 200,000 units is ...	1 15 0 per vial.
(2) Abbots Labs Penicillin 500,000 units is ...	4 0 0 per vial,
Chas. Pfizer and Co., New York, Penicillin of 200,000 units is ...	1 9 0
Chas. Pfizer and Co. New York Penicillin of 500,000 units is ...	3 8 0
(3) Merk and Co., Canada, Penicillin of 2000,000 units is ...	1 8 0
Do do of 500,000 units is ...	3 8 0

(The rates of some of the other drugs are also being fixed by Government and they differ from time to time and from manufacturer to manufacturer).

(*c*) No. No authorisation is required from the State Government.

(*d*), (*e*) and (*f*). Information is not available.

Resolution of Central Muslim Association, Bangalore re: grant in aid to students.

Q.*—85. **Janab SYED ABDUR RAHMAN (Chikmagalur *cum* Shimoga—Muslim).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether they have received the resolutions passed by the Central Mohammedan Association, Bangalore, in the matter of aid to students by way of grant of gosha-cart allowance, free-ships, half-freeships, scholarships, etc.;

(*b*) the steps they have taken in this matter ?

Sri T. SIDDALINGAIYA (Minister for Education and Public Health).—

A.—(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The resolutions have been carefully considered by Government and a reply has been sent to the Secretary, Central Muslim Association, Bangalore, on 23rd August 1950.

Subsidy wells in Kolar District.

Q.*—87. **Sri T. RAMACHAR (Kolar District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of subsidy wells in Kolar District which were completed before March 1950 ;

(*b*) the number of persons to whom only one instalment of subsidy has been paid ;

(*c*) the number of cases still pending payment ;

(*d*) the amount of subsidy still payable ?

(Talukwar figures may kindly be furnished.)

A.—**Sri H. SIDDAIYA** (Minister for Revenue and Excise).—

(*a*) 1,685.

(*b*) 1,267 cases.

(*c*) 1,267 cases

(*d*) The amount of subsidy cannot be definitely stated now as the same depends upon the outlay incurred in sinking the wells ; and to be determined in each case after the receipt of completion report. Completion reports have to be received in respect of the 1,267 cases referred to above.

Allotment for purchase of Service Stamps for 1950-51.

Q.*—88. **Sri T. RAMACHAR (Kolar District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the amount allotted for the purchase of service stamps for the year 1950-51 ;